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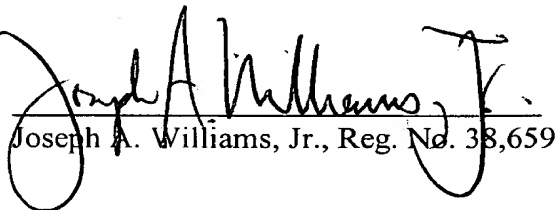
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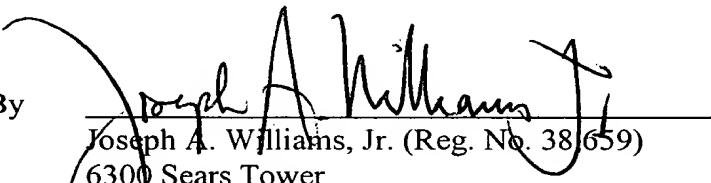
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Sir:

In a communication mailed August 28, 2001, the Applicants were requested to correct the sequence listing in the application in compliance with 37 CFR §§1.821-1.825. Submitted herewith is a substitute sequence listing in paper and computer-readable formats, along with the statement required under 37 CFR §1.821.

Respectfully submitted,

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